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## PATENT APPLICATION

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**RESPONSE**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated September 23, 2005. Please reconsider the above-identified U.S. patent application in light of the remarks presented below.

**The claims are not amended in this Response.** However, a listing of the claims is provided , beginning on page 2 of this paper, for the convenience of the Examiner.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.